



Attorney Docket No. A2425-US-NP XERZ 2 00882

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s):

Samir Kumar et al.

Application No.:

10/658,874

Confirmation No.:

3222

Filed:

September 10, 2003

Examiner:

Ramsey E. Zacharia

Art Unit:

1773

Last Office Action: February 21, 2006

Title:

COATED CONDUCTIVE

CARRIERS

MAIL STOP Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

hereby certify that correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as Express Mail addressed to: Mail Stop RCE: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on May 11, 2006.

> May 11, 2006 (Date of deposit)

Lynda S. Kalemba

May 11, 2006 Date of Signature

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 21, 2006, in the above-identified patent application, Applicants submit this Amendment. Reconsideration of the application is requested.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.